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IN RE APPLICATION OF

Group Art Unit: 1731

GLEN T. CUNKLE, ET AL.

Examiner: Marc S. Alvo

APPLICATION NO: 09/658,924

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FOR: CHLOROHYDRIN AND CATIONIC

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Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION OF AN APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114

This a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of application Serial No. 09/658,924, filed on September 11, 2000, entitled "Chlorohydrin and cationic compounds having high affinity for pulp and paper" by the following named inventor(s): Glen T. Cunkle, David Devore, and Thomas F. Thompson

- Enter the amendment previously filed on under 37 CFR 1.116, but unentered, in the prior application.
- 2.

 An Amendment and Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.

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- 3. ☑ Please charge Deposit Account No. 03-1935 in the amount of \$740.00. Two additional copies of this paper are enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 03-1935.
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AMENDMENT and INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 12, 2003, Applicants respectfully submit the present amendments and remarks for entry and consideration. The Action set a one month shortened statutory period for reply, making this paper due September 12, 2003. This reply is timely filed and no petition for an extension of time to respond is required.

This response is being filed with a Request for Continued Examination under Rule 114.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1935.